

Subject: Re: Request for ASL Interpreter and CART Services - Sunday, December 4 @ 9:30 AM
From: Donald Duckworth
Date: 12/02/2016 03:42 PM
To: Richard Pope
CC: Kim Sudhalter <kim.sudhalter@urbanlegendpr.com>

Thank you Mr Pope. I did not see Mr. Seaman's request until after the close of business yesterday, December 1.

On Fri, Dec 2, 2016 at 3:38 PM, Richard Pope <richard.pope@lacity.org> wrote:

Mr. Duckworth,

We are already working on this as Mr. Seamans contacted me yesterday at 3:00. However, there is very little time between now and then to secure an interpreter or a captionist.

As I'm confident you know, the actual language that is on City flyers and the like is, "Sign Language Interpreters, Communication Access Real-Time Transcription, Assistive Listening Devices, or other auxiliary aids and/or services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability, you are advised to make your request at least 72 hours prior to the meeting you wish to attend. Due to difficulties in securing Sign Language Interpreters, five or more business days notice is strongly recommended." Clearly, we have not been able to get five or more business days notice. I will keep you apprised of developments but as of this writing, it doesn't look like we'll be able to secure service providers.

Thank you,



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On Fri, Dec 2, 2016 at 1:38 PM, Donald Duckworth <duckworth.donald@gmail.com> wrote:

The Melrose BID is hosting a social, "Neighborhood Mixer" on Sunday, December 4 at 9:30 AM at 7469 Melrose Avenue. That is a restaurant known as Vinoteque. Mr. Patrick Seamons has requested ASL Interpreter and CART Services for this event. Can you assist us?

From: Melrose BID Events <info@diangy.com>

Date: Thursday, December 1, 2016 at 2:47 PM

To: <kim.sudhalter@urbanlegendpr.com>, Justo Diaz <justo@diangy.com>, <info@diangy.com>

Subject: Booking Confirmed

The following booking is confirmed :

Melrose Neighborhood Mixer - 12/04/2016 @ 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Now there are 17 spaces reserved.

BOOKING DETAILS

Name : Dr. Patrick Seamans

Email : Pseamans@midcitywest.org

Comment: Elected Official of the City of Los Angeles. Requesting disability accommodations (ASL Interpreter and CART Services) from Rick Pope at the LA City Department on Disability, hours: 9:00am to Noon. Contact Mr. Pope immediately for advance arrangements.